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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed October 5, 2004.

REMARKS

Claims 1-54 were in the application as filed. The Examiner has required restriction between an alleged species represented in Figure 5 and an alleged species represented in Figure 8, and Applicant has provisionally elected the alleged species of Figure 8 with traverse.